Pawnbroker Sold Pistol to a Couple, but Accused Girl Was Not One of Them -She Will Not Go Before Grand Jury Wan Who, Perhaps, Saw Young Shot.

The Grand Jury, after considering for

several hours the evidence which District Attorney Jerome laid before it respecting he death of "Casar" Young, refused yesterday to indict Nan Patterson until she had been brought before it and given an opportunity to testify. The pawnbroker she sold the pistol on Friday is positive Nan Patterson is not the woman who accompanied the purchaser. These, with the fact that the Morgan Smiths gave up their rooms at the St. Paul and virtually disappeared from the city, were yesterday's most remarkable developments in the case. The inquiry by the Grand Jury will go on this morning. For this reason the District Attorney will probably ask Coroner Brown for another adjournment of the inquest which was postponed last Monday until this morning at 10:30. There are still a number of witnesses to be brought before the Grand Jury, but probably this morning's

on the present evidence an indictment will be found against Miss Patterson or not. Two persons who have been prominently connected with the investigation from the beginning have mysteriously disappeared. They are Morgan Smith, the brother-inaw of Miss Patterson, and Mrs. Morgan Smith, Miss Patterson's sister. Mr. Smith is particularly wanted by the District Attorney. Judge Newburger of Part II., tieneral Sessions, issued an attachment vesterday for his apprehension, and detectives scoured the city all day searching for him. Mr. and Mrs. Smith lived in the St. Paul Hotel, on the southeast corner of Columbus avenue and Sixtieth street. Miss Patterson lived in the same apart-

session of that body will determine whether

ments with them up to the time of her departure to meet "Cæsar" Young between 7 and 8 o'clock on Saturday morning last. On Tuesday last Mr. Garvan of the District Attorney's office sent for Mr. Smith and had him brought to the Criminal Courts There he was in conference for a very few minutes with Mr. Garvan in Mr. Garvan's office. When he went away Mr. Garvan

said that he had tried to question Smith

street. His story is clear and straightforward. He says that on Friday, the day before the tragedy, a man and a woman entered his shop and the man asked to look at some revolvers. Among those shown to him was the same hammerless, self-acting .32-calibre weapon with which Young was done to death before 9 o'clock the following morning. The man bought the weapon and the reason Stern knows it is the same weapon is because he made a memoin the case of valuable pistols. The pistol with which Young was killed was shown

to Stern and he fully identified it. The next thing for Mr. Jerome to do was to establish the identity of the purchasers. It was for this purpose that Stern was brought down to the District Attorney's office on Wednesday. The result of his scrutiny of Miss Patterson's face both in the Tombs and in the Coroner's court room was that he not only did not identify her with the woman who accompanied the man when the pistol was bought, but he said positively that Miss Patterson was not that

He did not see Mr. Smith on Wednesday, and inasmuch as it is well known that one object of the District Attorney in wishing to question Mr. Smith was to see if he could throw any light on the history of the revolver, it is presumed that, had Mr. Smith been found yesterday, the pawnbroker would have had an opportunity of seeing

evidence so far obtained is that he was at Sheepshead Bay all day Friday until after the fifth race and that he then went to the house of his brother-in-law, Luce, in West 140th street. Young and his wife had been living at Sheepshead Bay ever since the racing season opened. Mrs. Young came to the city some hours ahead of her husband and was at the Luce home when he arrived there. The fifth race is run at 4:30 in the afternoon and is not over before 5 o'clock. This means getting back to the city at least as late as 6 o'clock and by that hour Stern's pawnshop was closed. Thus, if Young bought the pistol, he must have come up to the city some time during the forenoon and hurried right back to Sheepshead Bay. His relatives say that he was at Sheepshead Bay all day and did not come to the city until 6 o'clock; that he went straight to the Luce house and remained there until after 9 in the evening, when he went out with his brother-in-law Luce, whose company he had solicited on the ground that he was going to meet Miss Patterson and was afraid she was in a mood to do some desperate act.

Furthermore, there are witnesses who say that Miss Patterson herself was at the races on Friday and that she was seen there with Young, and that it was at the races Both Miss Patterson's sister, Mrs. Smith,

ver the impending parting with "Caesar

great was Miss Patterson's excitement over this event," said a man who has followed the case in detail, vesterday, "that it hardly seems possible that any friend of her's, much less a relative, would intrust a revolver to her, no matter how

WOULDN'T INDICT ACTRESS.

plausible a reason she might advance for wanting it, right on the eve of that scene of parting, the mere anticipation of which had caused the young woman so much distress."

distress."
On the other hand, it was argued that if On the other hand, it was argued that if the man or the woman who purchased the revolver on Friday gave it to Young either that very day or early the next morning, it is odd that they do not come forward and relieve Miss Patterson from the terrible charge that is hanging over her and tell where, when and why they let Young have

where, when and why they let Young have the weapon.

It was in the hope that through his acquaintance with Miss Patterson and Young Young's habits and acquaintances Mr. Smith might give some clue to how either one or the other of them got hold of the pistol, that the District Attorney was so anxious to have Mr. Smith's views after the pawnbroker who sold the weapon was discovered. Mr. Smith, after his refusal to answer Mr. Garvan's questions on Tuesto answer Mr. Garvan's questions on Tues-day, said that he had done so on the advice of counsel.

of counsel.

A witness who is very much wanted is a man who has been frequently described and who jumped up on the step of the cab just after the shooting took place. All efforts of the police to trace this man had failed at the time the Grand Jury took up the case yesterday, and Assistant District Attorney Rand has issued a special appeal to him to come forward in the interests of justice and tell what he knows. He appears to have been the first person to reach the vehicle after the tragedy and to have afterward called the attention of Policeman Junior to the trouble. It is understood that it was at the instance of the man Junior to the trouble. It is understood that it was at the instance of the Grand Jury that Mr. Rand issued his appeal to this person to make himself known. Still another person who saw something of the tragedy has been found in William Haskins of 410 West Seventeenth street. Haskins, who is a truck driver, says that he was standing at the extreme north end of the Leggett Building, in West Broadway. He saw a street car detained for a moment by a block in the street, and immediately behind the car was a hansom cab. The driver of the hansom, he says, slowed up on account of the block. He, Haskins, turned his head away, and as he did so he heard a shot from the direction of the hansom. The driver of the hansom, he says, apparently did not hear it, for he was trying to urge his horse into a trot after the shot

apparently did not hear it, for he was trying to urge his horse into a trot after the shot was fired. It will be remembered that at Bleecker street, where Young last stopped, he told the driver to go fast, because he must be on the steamship dock at 9 o'clock. Haskins further says that just after the shot was fired a man ran out from the sidewalk, jumped onto the step and looked over the apron into the hansom. This is another reappearance of the man the District Attorney is so anxious to find. Haskins says reappearance of the man the District Attorney is so anxious to find. Haskins says that after the man had looked into the hansom a moment he sprang down and mounted the step to the driver's seat and said something to the driver, who stopped his horse and opened the little trapdoor in the top of the cab. As he did so a little puff of blue smoke came out. Haskins says that he went to the cab and saw a man lying partly across a woman's lap and

office. When he went away Mr. Garvan said that he had tried to question Smith en matters that might have a bearing upon the situation, but that Smith had flatly declined to answer any questions on the ground that to do so might incriminate him. Smith was then served with a subpona to appear before the Grand Jury the next day, Wendesday. He was at the Criminal Courts Building for several hours on that day, but the case was not presented to the Grand Jury, and Smith, with other witnesses, went home.

But while the case did not get to the Grand Jury on Wednesday, the pawnbroker who, it is claimed, sold the pistol to some one on Friday was brought before District Attorney Jerome by Detective Samuel Price and later was given an opportunity to closely scan the features of the actress.

Morgan Smith was at the Criminal Courts Building at the time the pawnbroker was river. He went from the court house to the St. Paul. He and Mrs. Smith packed up their belongings and left the hotel that evening. At the hotel all that was known of the riverse was rivers, and left the hotel on Wednesday was that they had given up their apartment and left the hotel on Wednesday and that they had given up their apartment was at once sued out and the detectives yesterday were endeavoring to trace the missing witness and his wife by means of their trunks.

The pawnbroker, who is the most important witness in the case as yet discovered, proves to be H. Stern, whose pawnshop is at 516 Sixth avenue, on the east side, just south of Thirty-first street. His story is clear and straight-income and stroking his at 516 Sixth avenue, on the east side, just south of Thirty-first street. His story is clear and straight-income and stroking his the went to the case and strain and straking hand subtant was what in the case and strain and straking has beautify against the breast, and the woman day the first street. His story was that the wash and hartly against the breast, and the woman day repair to the substance of what Haskins known of the case, and it is

his strongest witnesses to obtain an indict-ment. The request for Miss Patterson's appearance was addressed to Mr. Levy and signed by Mr. Rand as Acting District Attorney, Mr. Jerome having gone to Lakeville for over Sunday. It was as

may desire in relation to the c Francis T. Young on June 4 last. To this Miss Patterson's counsel, Mr Levy, Mr. Unger, Mr. O'Reilley and Mr

Waldheimer, after consultation, made a written reply through Mr. Levy, of which the following is a part:

while we fully appreciate the very just spirit which prompts our worthy drand Jury to extend this privilege to Miss Patterson, she is constrained to defer to our judgment not to avail thereof for the present.

From our conscientious understanding of the facts attending the unfortunate death of Mr. Young, we are thoroughly convinced that no indictment would be returned by this or any other Grand Jury if the evidence of eyewitnesses and others whose statements the District Attorney has already taken is submitted to that body.

Under these conditions we can conceive of nothing which Miss Patterson can or should be called upon to explain. I would thank you, in order to prevent any misunderstanding on the part of the cirand Jury of the position taken by Miss Patterson, under counsel's advice, to submit this communication to that

At a late hour last night Capt. Sweeney of the Eighth Precinct said that his detectives were still at work hunting for Mr. and Mrs. Smith and would keep up the hunt all night, but so far had got no trace of their whereabouts.

The Missouri Salls for Gibraltar. NORFOLK, Va., June 9 .- The United

States battleship Missouri, commanded by Capt. Cowles, President Roosevelt's brother-in-law, having completed repairs made necessary by the Pensacola explosion, sailed to-day from Hampton Roads for Gibraltar to report to Rear Admiral Barker, commander-in-chief of the battleship squadron of the North Atlantic fleet,

The area of high pressure which moved dow from the Lake regions on Wednesday, causing rain in that section and the New England States, spread more to the southward yesterday and caused rain in the Middle Atlantic States. This area was stended by cooler weather. It was fair in the ipper Lake regions and in the South Atlantic States Elsewhere cast of the Rocky Mountains conditions were unsettled. There were showers and thunde ms in nearly all the central States, caused by the approaching cool weather. The pressure was high over all the Northwest.

In this city a fine rain fell all day; wind, fresh to

risk northeasterly; average humidity, 91 per cent. barometer, corrected to read to sea level, at 8 A. M.,

arometer, corresponding to the arometer of the temperature yesterday, as recorded by the official thermometer, is shown in the annexed table:

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VABRINGTON PORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW For eastern New York, rain to day; brisk to high northeast to east winds on the coast; partly cloudy to-morrow; probably showers in extreme south portion. For New England, partly cloudy to-day and

that Young agreed to the interview with her that Friday evening, at which he subsequently requested Luce to be present.

Both Mire Devices to the interview with showers in extreme south portion: east to east winds, high over extreme south portion: partly cloudy to-morrow.

For the District of Columbia and Maryland, to-day and probably to-morrow; light to fresh

For Delaware, rain to-day; brisk northeast winds showers to-morrow.

For eastern Pennsylvania, rain to-day; showers to morrow; fresh to brisk northeast winds.

For western New York, partly cloudy to-day and to-morrow, with occasional showers; fresh east winds.

For New Jersey, rain to-day; brisk to high northeast winds showers to morrow.

PLATT IS TO TESTIFY TO-DAY.

NAMES OF OTHER BLACKMAILERS LIKELY TO COME OUT.

Was the "Doctor," Report Says, Who Sent Threat to Platt's Brother-Mob Hustles Hannah Elias, Even at the Door of the Supreme Court Room

The examination of Hannah Elias on the charge of blackmailing John R. Platt out of \$7,500, will be begun at 3 o'clock this ternoon before Magistrate Ommen in the Tombs police court. Unless there is an unexpected change in the condition of the aged complainant, he will be in court when the case is called, and will be put on the witness stand to tell his story of his relations with the woman. The District Attorney was informed yesterday that he

was ready to testify. Mr. Platt will be cross-examined by a former Assistant District Attorney. The groundwork of this cross-examination will be the interview which Mr. Platt gave the day after the publication of his complaint in the civil suit. Counsel for the negro woman believe that they can show that the money was "poured at her feet" by Platt, as the Elias woman has told the District Attorney.

Mr. Jerome went to Lakeville yesterday and left Mr. Rand, as acting District Attorney, to conduct the case against the negress to-day. Neither Mr. Rand nor Mr. Lord would say vesterday whether or not it was their intention to bring out in the police court proceedings the story of the blackmailing of the woman by those in possession of the secret of her relations with Mr. Platt. But it is the intention to bring out through Mr. Platt's testimony the names of those other than the negress who have been blackmailing him. There are said to be a number of such persons. One of them lives in Boston and wrote letters to Mr. Platt from that city making demands for large amounts of money.

One of the visitors at the District Attornev's office vesterday was August C. Nanz,

One of the visitors at the District Attorney's office yesterday was August C. Nanz, a lawyer formerly employed by Mrs. Elias, and who represented her at the time of the murder of Andrew H. Green. He called, he said, to tell the District Attorney that he was ready to give him any information he had about the woman's affairs. The newspapers, he said, had mentioned that a former lawyer of the Elias woman's had been in the blackmailing plot.

"I feared that I might be the one referred to," said Mr. Nanz, while at the District Attorney's office. "The only relations I ever had with her were those in regard to her business affairs. Mrs. Elias is a very vindictive and dangerous woman and might do anything. It would be just like her to try and obtain revenge on me for the fancied wrong done her in my having introduced Mr. Platt to Mr. Warren, now his counsel."

Regarding the Elias woman's dealings with the "doctor," who, she has told the District Attorney, was one of those who regularly "collected" from her, it was said yesterday that in March last the Elias woman paid this man \$2.718 in settlement of a threatened suit on his part. The payment was made by a check on the Lincoln National Bank. In return she got a receipt signed by the doctor. Mrs. Elias and those acquainted with her affairs said that the threatened suit was over an itemized bill similar to many she had paid beand those acquainted with her affairs said that the threatened suit was over an itemized bill similar to many she had paid before and that none of the services described was ever rendered by the "doctor." When this last "bill" was presented, Mrs. Elias, so it was said, refused to pay it and told a lawyer so. Two days later this same lawyer got word from her that the bill would have to be settled. The check was then paid to another lawyer representing

the "doctor."

According to one story told yesterday, he Elias woman lived in constant fear of both this doctor and his wife and made them costly presents in addition to settling the doctor's "bills." This went on for years. When she told the "doctor" that Mr. Platt refused to give up his money any longer, it was the "doctor" who sent a person to see Isaac Platt, Mr. Platt's brother, with the threat that, through a suit which with the threat that, through a suit which he would begin against the Elias woman, her relations with Platt would be exposed. How true this story is nobody would

How true this story is nobody would say yesterday. Washington Brauns, the woman's lawyer, refused to comment upon it, except to say that the story would undoubtedly come out eventually.

Mrs. Elias is still a prisoner in the Tombs. The application of her counsel for a reduction of her bail from \$5.000 to \$5.000 was tion of her bail from \$50,000 to \$5,000 was heard yesterday morning in the Supreme Court by Justice Clarke, who reduced the bail only to \$30,000. Mr. Brauns has made some effort to raise this bail, but has failed. some effort to raise this bail, but has failed. The application was made on a writ of habeas corpus, which necessitated the production of the negress in court yesterday morning. This led to the same disorderly scenes that have characterized her every appearance in places where the public has been able to get a glimpse of her.

her.

When she was brought back out of the court room when Justice Clarke had disposed of the case there was a turmoil that suggested that the County Court House needed the police reserves. When she was led out of the door by Warden Flynn and his assistants, the crowd from inside met the crowd outside, and there was a scene that beat any mass play in football. Hats went off, clothes were torn and women screamed. Justice Clarke stood up and ranged for order, but he might as well rapped for order, but he might as well have talked to the wind. Forming a cordon around the woman, the warden and policemen fought their way out. Women made rushes to try to break through this cordon and the police had to treat them

roughly.

Justice Clarke characterized the scene
as "contemptible." He seemed to be
greatly exercised about it, but he was powerless to preserve any sort of order. Outside there were hoots and yells at the woman, and she was followed to the Tombs by the

Mrs. Elias wouldn't talk about her case after she got back in her cell yesterday but she would talk about her baby. is cruel to keep him from me," she "I want my baby all the time with Last night I didn't sleep five min-

The baby is now at the house in Central Park West and is being fed on sterilized milk. This is reported to be all right for the baby, but not for the mother. Dr. Van Tine, who is attending the child, has advised against its being locked up with the mother, even if the separation does cause some discomfort. There would be no objection to the woman's having the baby with her if the physicians said it was best. When asked about the story that she had been blackmailed by a doctor and a lawyer. been blackmailed by a doctor and a lawyer, Mrs. Elias manifested the greatest inter-

"Has that come out already?" she said. She had several callers yesterday. One was a colored lawyer named J. Frank Wheaton, who said he had been hired by wheaton, who said he had been hired by two former servants of the woman at a mass meeting of negroes held in West Fifty-third street on Wednesday night. He said the "scandal" as he could tell it would involve "the 400." Mrs. Elias would not see him.

would not see him.

Two white women brought two large Two white women brought two large baskets of roses and carnations, which were placed in Mrs. Elias's cell in "nigger row." They were the envy of a score of colored women awaiting tr'al for stealing and other offences. One of the women who brought the flowers said she had been Mrs. Elias's manicure.

NEGROES MEET TO RAISE BAIL. Negro Lawyer Says There Will Also Be a

Hannah Elias Mass Meeting. J. Frank Wheaton, the negro lawye whom Mrs. Elias refused to see yesterday, held a meeting of the negroes last night at the Marshall Café, 149 West Fifty-third street. The meeting voted to try and raise

Fifty men and women were present. It was decided to make a concerted effort

to secure a bondsman to-day to put up the

At the close of the meeting it was stated that should a bondaman not be found it was likely that the amount would be raised from among the negroes attending the

Reuben Smith, who presided, said that he thought the Elias woman would be released before sundown to-night.

W. R. Hearen in a long speech criticized District Attorney Jerome for his action in smashing down the doors of the woman's house. Others present were Dr. R. C. Cooper, "Baron" Wilkins of the "Little Savoy," William Diggs, Otto Scott of the "Trocadero" and Mrs. Capt. Harvey Thomp-

son.

After the meeting Lawyer Wheaton announced that a mass meeting would be held in the near future and that several negro preachers would speak. Wheaton further stated that an action would soon be begun in which a lawyer, formerly employed by Mrs. Elias, would be sued for \$5,000 by Mary Scott and Richard Smith, negroes.

This lawyer, he said, had promised the This lawyer, he said, had promised the two \$5,000 to keep quiet when Mrs. Elias came into notoriety after the Green murder. The lawyer, Wheaton says, never paid up. A young white man came into last night's meeting, embraced two negro men, and said he hoped they'd win.

WOULDN'T RECOGNIZE BRISTOW. Surrogate Again Refuses to Acknowledge

Him as Public Administrator. Surrogate Church in Brooklyn again made it plain yesterday that he does not recognize Henry Bristow as Public Administrator. It was in the case of James H. Taylor, who died on July 17, 1902. Before his death Mr. Taylor went through bankruptcy, and among his creditors was Theophilus E. Roessle, proprietor of the Arlington Hotel, Washington.

Roessle filed his claim in the Surrogate's office. Mr. Taylor's widow has been fighting this claim. The Surrogate ordered her av it, and she was removed as executrix to pay it, and she was removed as executive for failing to comply with the order of the court. Yesterday application was made to have Mr. Roessle appointed administrator. Albert Johnson, counsel for the Public Administrator, objected to the appointment on the ground that the Public Administrator took precedence over a creditor.

creditor.

"I want it distinctly understood," said Surrogate Church, "that I recognize no Public Administrator of this county. Such being the case, I will not accept your objections." Mr. Roessle was appointed, and Mr. Bristow will begin proceedings to compel Surrogate Church to recognize him as the Public Administrator.

LEVI Z. LEITER DEAD. The Chicago Capitalist Expires Suddenly in Bar Harbor, Me.

Levi Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, died suddenly yesterday at Bar Harbor Me., of heart failure in his seventieth year His wife and two daughters were with him when he died.

As the associate of Marshall Field, F. H Cooley, Potter Palmer and John V. Farwell Mr. Leiter was one of the richest and most noted of the big business men of the Middle West, and he left a large fortune, in spite of the sums he had to pay for his son Joe Leiter's disastrous plunges in the wheat

Mr. Leiter was born at the family homestead in Leitersburg, Md., a town founded by his ancestors. His father was a builder and for a time young Leiter was associated with him. But early in his career he got the Western fever and went to Columbus, Ohio, to seek his fortune. His first job there was a clerkship, but

he did not stick to it long. Chicago was rapidly looming up as the business centre of the Middle West and there he went.

of the Middle West and there he went, entering the house of Cooley, Wadsworth & Co., as bookkeeper.

In 1865 Mr. Leiter organized the house of Field, Palmer & Leiter, to succeed Potter Palmer. Two years later Potter Palmer and his brother, Milton J., withdrew, and for fourteen years Mr. Leiter was the credit partner of Field, Leiter & Co. It was during this period that he made his reputation as a business man ofthe first class. His knowledge of credits was great. He also ranked high as a financier and the deposits of customers with the firm often ran as high as tomers with the firm often ran as high as

In 1881 Mr. Leiter retired from active business life, disposing of his interest in the firm of Field, Leiter & Co. for a sum that was said to approximate \$3,000,000. Afterward he acquired enormous real estate holdings in the business, financial and shopholdings in the business, financial and shopping centres of Chicago. He was also known as the largest stockholder of the Chicago Gas Light and Coke Co., and was heavily interested in the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, the Chicago and Rock Island, and the Chicago and Northwestern railways.

Mr. Leiter was married in 1865 to Miss Mary Theresa Carver, the daughter of Benjamin F. Carver, a capitalist, and had four children. Of these, Mary is the wife of Lord Curzon, until recently Viceroy of India.

of India.

Joseph Leiter, Levi Z. Leiter's only son, is quite as famous in his way as is his sister. In 1897, when 29 years old, he startled the financial world by his whirlwind campaign for control of the wheat market at Chicago. His father had given him \$1,000,000 with which to do as he pleased, and the young man chose to fight P. D. Armour in the wheat pit.

wheat pit.

At first he was successful, but he would not let well enough alone, and in the end he not only lost all his profits, but several millions more. It is estimated that the young man sank \$6,500,000. His father paid the debts.

John Munhall of Pittsburg, one of the original members of the steel trust, died at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City, yesterday, at the age of 71, after an operation for remova The operation was performed yesterday, but the patient had become so weak from diabetes that he was unable to stand the shock. He died without regaining consciousness. With him at the time of his death were his wife and daughter, Miss Beulah Munhall, and his two sons, John B. and William Munhall. Mrs. Joseph Schwad, a sisterin-law of Charles M. Schwab, who is a near relative, was also at the bedside. The body will be taken to Pittsburg to-morrow. Mr. Munhall was the founder of the town of Munhall and the owner of the big steel works there. He was associated with Andrew Carnegie and Charles M. Schwab in the formation of the steel trust and retired with several millions. He had been ill for about five months. operation was performed yesterday

several millions. He had been ill for about five months.

John V. Clark, a prominent civil engineer, died yesterday in Roosevelt Hospital, aged 45 years. At one time Mr. Clark was a member of the firm of Moffatt, Hodging & Clark, who built extensive systems of waterworks throughout the United States. The firm falled and Mr. Clark organized the Levalley Vitæ Brush Company. He owned the White Plains water works system, which was taken by the town of White Plains under condemnation proceedings some years ago. Mr. Clark was at one time president of a railroad in the western part of the State. His home of late years was in White Plains. He leaves a widow and three children.

Nicholas Schultz, one of the oldest gold and silver leaf manufacturers in the country, died at his home, 176 Midland avenue, Glen Ridge, N. J., yesterday. Mr. Schulz established his business in 1857 at 25 St. Mark's place, this city. He amassed a fortune and retired from business on March 22 last. He was one of the organizers of the Union Square Bank, now a branch of the Corn Exchange Bank, and was a director of the bank for many years.

Receipts of the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor.

The New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twentysecond street, acknowledges the following gifts for its fresh air work: Four Day Parties, \$125 each; two rooms, \$50 each; six beds at Sea Breeze, \$25 each; one bed at the Tent Camp, \$25; Cash, Brooklyn, \$2; Cash, \$10; A Friend, \$20; W. G. L. B., \$25. There are still a few vacancies at the Seaside Tent Camp for tuberculous chil-dren. Applications are desired from parents.

## **WONDERFUL CURE** OF SORE HANDS

By Cuticura After the Most Awful Suffering Ever Experienced.

EIGHT DOCTORS

And Many Remedies Failed to do a Cent's Worth · of Good.

"About five years ago I was troubled with sore hands, so sore that when I would put them in water the pain would very nearly set me crazy, the skin would peel off and the flesh would get hard and break. There would be blood flowing from at least fifty places on each hand. Words could never tell the suffering I endured for three years. I tried everything that I was told to use for fully three years, but could get no relief. I tried at least eight different doctors, but none of them seemed to do me any good, as my hands were as bad when I got through doctoring as when I first began. I also tried many remedies, but none of them ever did me one cent's worth of good. I was discouraged and heart-sore. I would feel so bad mornings when I got up, to think I had to go to work and stand the pain for ten hours, and I often felt like giving up my position. Before I started to work mornings I would have to wrap every finger up separately, so as to try to work mornings I would have to wrap every finger up separately, so as to try and keep them soft and then wear gloves over the rags to keep the grease from getting on my work. At night I would have to wear gloves in bed. In fact, I had to wear gloves all the time. But thanks to Cuticura, the greatest of all great skin cures. After doctoring for three years, and spending much money, a 50c. box of Cuticura Ointment ended all my sufferings. It's been two years since I used any and I don't know what sore hands are now, and never lost a day's work while using Cuticura Ointment."

THOMAS A. CLANCY, 310 N. Montgomery St., Trenton, N. J. Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60): Olntment, 50c., Soap, 25c. Depots: London. 27 Charterhouse Sq.: Parts, 5 Rue de la Paix: Boston, 137 Columbus Ace. Potter Drug & Cheix. Corp., Sole Proprietors.

13"Send for "The Great Skin Book."

RANG SCHOOL FIRE ALARM. Outrageous Prank of a Bad Boy-Principal Prevents a Panic.

A fifteen-year-old boy sought amusement vesterday afternoon by sending in a false alarm of fire from Public School 144, at 30 Allen street, just north of Canal. brought the Fire Department with a rush, but the joy of a panic among the 1,700 small children of the school or even of a fire drill

The boy has not yet been identified, but the police expect to locate him. He got into the building about 2 o'clock, ran upstairs, pulled the school's special alarm box and skipped down again. To complete his arrangements for a spectacular performance he rushed into the janitor's room and shouted: "The building's on

fire!"
Then he vanished. Mrs. Windecker, the janitor's wife, was not nimble enough to catch him, although she got a good look at

him.

Mrs. Windecker notified the principal, Miss Harris, at once. Miss Harris lost no time in locking all the outside doors and then, ascertaining that there was no fire, she went out and dismissed the firemen and the crowd that had gathered. The next half forms she spent in talling records in a

the crowd that had gathered. The next half hour she spent in telling people in a voice that trembled with the after excitement how it all didn't happen.

A fire panic in the old building which houses School 144, with its narrow stairways and narrow doors opening upon narrow and congested Allen street, would be a socious matter for the 1700 primary grade. serious matter for the 1,700 primary grade children, mostly under 10 years old. Miss Harris said: "The children can take care of themselves

"The children can take care of themselves. The bi-weekly fire drill teaches them how to behave. I locked all the doors the first thing to keep the people out. If the excitable parents get in they create terrible confusion, and any disturbance of the lines while the children were getting down these stairs would make it had. To-day none of the teachers or pupils knew an elemn

of the teachers or pupils knew an alarm had been turned in .

The janitor also saw the boy who pulled the alarm. Describing him, he said:

"There was a picture of the devil in his

Drill Averts Fire Panic in School

All the children in Public School 28, fulton street near Ralph avenue, Brookvn. were thrown into a state of excitement vesterday afternoon by a fire which started in a stable of the hay and feed store of William Gleickman at 1907 Fulton street, directly osposite the school, smoke penetrated the class rooms. Ives, the principal, sounded the fire Within three minutes the school emptied. The fire did little damage.

M'DONALD DRIVEN FROM TOWN. Man Acquitted of Murder of Miss Schafer

Heeds Warning and Leaves Bedford. INDIANAPOLIS, June 9 .- James McDonald. the man who was accused of the murder of Miss Sarah Schafer, the teacher in the Bedford High School, whose body was found in a cab shed in January last, has been driven from that city, notwithstanding his acquittal and the fact that the great majority of the citizens did not believe that he knew anything of the crime. Twice was his home visited by mobs after his acquittal, and last night another crowd called at midnight and demanded that he come out. He was not at home, and that he come out. He was not at nome, and Mrs. McDonald was told to warn him that if he remained in Bedford another twenty-four hours he would be hanged.

Mrs. McDonald went to the house of a friend, where her husband was sleeping, roused him and delivered the message. An hour later he left the town. When he was asked to-day where her husband

she was asked to-day where her husband had gone she said she did not know, but he had told her that he would write to her so she could go to him.

The officers at Bedford profess not to know who it is that is persecuting the man.

GEOGRAPHERS' CONGRESS HERE. An International Convention to Begin in Washington Next September.

The eighth International Geographic longress, and the first to be held in the United States, will open at the Columbian University Hall, Washington, on Thursday forenoon, Sept. 8. An informal reception will be held at Hubbard Memorial Hall by President McGee of the National Geographic

President McGee of the National Geographic Society, the evening before.

Three days will be allotted to Washington. The Philadelphia Geographical Society will entertain the congress on Monday, Sept. 12, with field meetings and reception; the American Geographical Society here on Tuesday, Sept. 13, and Wednesday, Sept. 14, which have a large agreed asch day at the American lunch being served each day at the American Museum of Natural History. Chicago will occupy Sept. 17, and meetings on Monday, Sept. 19; Tuesday, 20, and Wednesday, 21, will be held with the Congress of Arts and

will be held with the Congress of Arts and Science at St. Louis. A far West trip is planned after adjourn-ment, and on the return to Washington Presi-dent Roosevelt will receive the congress.



FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

An Exceptionally Important Sale of

Suits for Young Men.

Formerly \$8.50 and \$10 Formerly \$12 to \$18

at \$6.00 at \$8.50

The collection affords single and double breasted models of Homespun, Cheviot, Worsted, Cassimere or Tweed, half or full lined. Sizes 14 to 19 years---second floor.

Two and Three-Garment

## Summer Suits for Men

At Fifteen and Twenty Dollars.

From our tailors to the best of their ability to every man according to his needsthat is the basic principle of our readyfor-service clothing business. The greatest need of the greatest number has influenced us to specialize, with suits at fifteen and twenty dollars as its object. The result is a stock of two and threegarment suits which is at least twice greater than any other shop maintainssuits which in character and tailoring all but exhaust the cleverness of our craftsmen. At fifteen and twenty dollars they are about a third less than you have been accustomed to pay for garments of their high grade.

Single and Double Breasted Suits, two or three garment models of Tropical Worsteds, Serge, Homespun, Cheviot or Wool Crash, which in design and weave are specifically adapted for summer service. One-eighth, quarter or half lined or unlined.

\$15 and \$20.

## Saks & Company

Broadway, 33d to 34th Street.

HUSBAND CUT OFF WITH \$5. The Rest of Mrs. Egan's Estate Goes to

Others, Much of It to Her Lawyer's Son. "To my husband, James Egan, I leave the sum of \$5 in cash; further consideration of him I deem impossible owing to his mistreatment of me in the past few years."
This is the first clause of the will of Julia Hogan Egan, who died on April 14 at her residence, 353 West Thirty-fourth street, where her husband also lived. She was worth more than \$75,000. Her residuary legatee is Harry P. Leonard, son of Henry W. Leonard, her attorney.

Mrs. Egan was 50 years old. Her husband, who is said to be well to do. is 74. In October, 1898, she was committed at his instance to the Amityville Insane Asylum. Henry W. Leonard began proceedings for her release, and on the verdict of a Sheriff's jury Justice Cohen discharged her, remarking that in his opinion the circumstances of her commitment were a fraud upon the he sum of \$5 in cash; further consideration

of her commitment were a fraud upon the

Court.

In bequeathing \$5,000 to Henry W. Leonard Mrs. Egan declared that she did so because "he is the man to whom I am indebted for my freedom and who has guided are interested during the next several warre. my interests during the past several years to my great advantage." She bequeathed a similar sum to Thomas W. Tyng, Leonard's

partner.

To her adopted son, Frank Egan, the testatrix left \$5,000; to her niece, Margaret Bergen of Stamford, Conn., \$5,000 and the contents of her house, 353 West Thirty-fourth street, except the piano. Additional bequests are \$1,000 to her sister, Mary Ann Bergen, in Ireland; \$1,000 to her brother, whose whereabouts are unknown, and \$500 partner. whose whereabouts are unknown, and \$500 to the Rev. John Gleason, pastor of St. Michael's Church. Father Gleason also gets \$1,000 for charitable work in his parish

gets \$1,000 for charitable work in his parish and \$500 for masses.

To Mrs. Harry P. Leonard of Palisades, N. Y., go Mrs. Egan's piano and stool. Harry P. Leonard gets the residuary estate, "in appreciation of his faithful and zealous labor in my behalf during the past several years, during which time he has been like a son to me."

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The will was executed on Dec. 16, 1902, and was deposited by Mrs. Egan in the Surrogate's office for safe keeping. The executors are Father Gleason and Harry P. James Egan, was totally ignorant of the will's existence, and after her death obtained letters of administration on her estate. Then the will was brought out. It was filed for probate yestenday.

WOULD IMPEACH JUDGE WOOD. Alabama Citizens Aflege That He Paid for Votes in the Primaries.

MOBILE, Ala., June 9.-The first prosecu ion for bribery under the new Election law was begun to-day at Montgomery the form of impeachment proceedings against Probate Judge Wood of Lowndes county. Prominent citizens filed the petition with the Supreme Court.

It is charged that in the recent Democratic primary election, when Judge Wood was a candidate for renomination, he pur-

chased votes. The names of the persons who sold their votes are given, and the prices paid are alleged to have ranged from \$50 to \$150.

Judge Wood is also charged with intermoved and pagent of his official duries. Judge wood is also charged with intemperance and neglect of his official duties. The pertitioners will move to-morrow that a day be set for hearing arguments in the proceedings. Judge Wood has not filed an answer. He is one of the most prominent Democrats in Mobile.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Judgments of absolute divorce were granted yesterday by Justice Gildersleeve to Rosamond M. Sullivan from John T. Sullivan, to Anne B. Stubbert, to Babette S. Stubbert, to Babette S. Karoli from John Karoli, to Bertha B. Bush from Ross E. Bush, to Bernard B. Badanes from Mary Badanes, to Margaret E. Rush from Walter F. Rush, to Minnie De Mott from Louis De Mott, to Mary Baumgarten from Albert Baumgarten, to Lucy P. Mosher from John W. Mosher, to Louise Witte from Rudolph Witte, to Richard Everett from Anna M. Everett, to Jennie Ebel from Bernard Ebel, to Christena Beamis from Elijah Beamis, and to George V. Sims from Gwenneth H. Sims. Justice Gildersleeve has annulled the marriage of Laura A. Whitecar and William A. Whitecar.

THE HATS OF LATEST VOGUE \$2.00 and \$3.00 Summer 1904

KANSAS CROP REPORT. Much Replanting of Winter Wheat Neces-

sary Because of Rotting. TOPEKA, Kan., June 9 .- F. D. Coburn, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture ssued this crop report to-day:

Winter wheat--Correspondents estimated the area sown with winter wheat was 5.670.000 acres. About 733,000 acres will be abandoned and devoted to other crops. Almost the whole of this abandoned area is in the western half of the State. Much replanting was made necessary because of seed rotting or washing out, and the average seed rotting or washing out, and the average condition for the State of that low growing is 78.6 per cent. As the present report, however, is based on conditions as found on June 3, it is probable that the average might now be safely advanced several points owing to the improved and improving weather and soil conditions.

Oats—The acreage probably is about the same as last year, and prospects are promising.

YALE FRESHMEN'S "FUN." Stop a Trolley Car, Smash It Up and Bing

Up Fares for Conductor to Pay. NEW HAVEN, June 9. Two hundred Yale freshmen massed on the trolley tracks in Whitney avenue early this morning and held up a car. The conductor and motorman were taken from their places, the pole was pulled from the wire, several dollars' worth of fares were rung up and the signs stolen from the dashboards.

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A squad of police hustled to the scene, but the students had scattered when they arrived, and up to to-night the police had not made any arrests. It cost the conductor several dollars in extra fares and it was suggested to him that if he would send a bill to the Yale Criminal Club for the amount, it would probably be naid without question. it would probably be paid without question.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colle, diarrhæa, 25c. a bottle.

MARRIED.

LOW-HERRICK.—On Thursday, June 9, 1904, at the Church of Zion and Saint Timothy, by the Rev. Henry Lubeck, D. D., assisted by the Rev. Henry [Mesier, Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Herrick to Ethelbert

ARKE—CUSHMAN.—On Wednesday afternoon, June 8, at St. Peter's Church, New York, Ethel Margaret, daughter of Mrs. Er Holbrook Cushman, to the Rev. Hervey Coke Parke, Jr. WINNERTON-KILMER.-On Tuesday, June 7, 1904, at the residence of the bride's parents. 1904, at the residence of the bride's parents. New York city, Catharine Elizabeth Kilmer to Guy Frederick Swinnerton of Rutland, Vt. Officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. Hubert Q.

DIED.

CLARKE.—At Roosevelt Hospital, on Thursday, June 9, John Victor Clarke, beloved hus-band of Lucille Copley and third son of the late Hon. Charles Ezra and Hanna Sanferd

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the

funeral services at his late residence, Waller House, White Plains, N. Y., on Friday, June 10, at 5 P. M. Carriages will meet the 255 train from Grand Central Depot. Interment EVANS .- On Thursday, June 9. Chester A., aged

his late residence, 219 Springfield av., Summit, N. J. IALL.-Suddenly, on Wednesday, June 8, 1904 George Frank Hall of Brooklyn, aged 77 years.
Funeral services at the residence of his son.

Burton P. Hall, Fanwood, N. J., Friday, June 10, at half-past 3. Trains from foot of Liberty st., via Central R. R. of N. J. Pittsfield, Mass., papers please copy.

ROBERSON.—On Wednesday, June 8, 1904, Winnie Carter, wife of William Cleveland Roberson and daughter of John M. Carter,

Funeral services at her late residence, 110 West 71st st., Saturday morning, June 11, at 10 octock. Interment at Sleepy Hollow Cometery, Tarrytown, N. Y.

IANNIGAN McGUIRE.—In memoriam. On Satur-day, June 11, at 10 A. M., a mass of requiem (month mind) will be celebrated at St. Patrick's

Church, Long Island City, for Mrs. Mary Han-nigan, mother of the Rev. E. F. Hannigae, rector of St. Patrick's Church. The reverend clergy and relatives are invited to attend San Francisco, Syracuse and Mount Vernon papers please copy.

CEMETERIES.

Great Pinelawn Cometery, 2,315 Acres. argest in the world. 46 West 34th at, N. K.